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Information has been received by the Department from Mr. John F. Flint, the counsel of the United States at La Union, Salvador, of the death, on the 1st of July last, at La Union, of A. B. Poor, of this city, late in the employment of the Panama Railroad Company.

Convention Between the United States and France Concerning Trade Marks.

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

A PROCLAMATION.

Whereas a convention between the United States of America and His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of France, for the protection of trademarks by their respective plenipotentiaries at the city of Washington on the sixteenth day of April last, when convened, being in the English and French languages, was as follows:

The United States of America and His Majesty, the Emperor of France, desiring to secure in their respective territories a guarantee of property in such marks as may be registered by their respective plenipotentiaries for this purpose, and have named, as their plenipotentiaries: the President of the United States, Hamilton Fish, Secretary of State, and His Majesty the Emperor of France, J. B. Dejean, Commander of the Legion of Honor, &c., &c., accredited as his envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to the United States; and the said plenipotentiaries, having communicated to their respective full powers, which were found to be in good and due form, have agreed to and signed the following articles:

ARTICLE I.

Every reproduction in one of the two countries of trade marks affixed in the other to certain merchandise to prove its origin and quality, or to indicate the source of supply equally as low as any list of prices you can find.

ARTICLE II.

There is exclusive right to use a trade mark for the benefit of citizens of the United States in France, or of French subjects in the territory of the United States, cannot exist, and the same is hereby prohibited by the law of the country for its own citizens.

If the trade mark has become public property in the country of its origin, it shall be equally free to use in the other country.

ARTICLE III.

If the owners of trade marks residing in either of the two countries wish to secure their rights in the other country, they must deposit their claim to them, before the Patent Office, in Washington, and in the clerk's office of the Tribunal of Commerce of the Seine, at Paris.

ARTICLE IV.

The ratification of this present arrangement shall be effected at Washington, and in either of the two countries, if possible.

In failure, whereof the respective plenipotentiaries have signed the present convention and ratified, and affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

At Washington, the twenty-third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one.

HAMILTON FISH, (seal),

GEORGE W. COOK, (seal).

And whereas the said convention has been duly ratified on both parts, and the respective ratifications of the same were exchanged at Washington, on the 23 instant, by J. C. H. Smith, Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and Count Faverney, chargé d'affaires of His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of the French at Washington, on the part of their respective governments.

Done at Paris, the 23rd day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and of the independence of the United States the ninetieth.

U. S. GRANT.

By the President:

J. C. HAMPTON DAVIS,

Acting Secretary of State.

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UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE,

Washington, D. C., August 1, 1860.

On the petition of Joseph Alderson, a Philadelphian, for a patent for an Improvement in Plated Buttons, it is granted to him the 28th day of November next, for an Improvement in Buttons.

It is ordered that said patent be dated at this office on the 1st day of November next. Any person, or others, who desire to be heard at this office, twenty days after the date of hearing, may appear and file their papers.

JOHN H. JACKSON, Commissioner of Patents.

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